



COLLEGE OF BEHAVIORAL & COMMUNITY SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF ARTS: CRIMINOLOGY

YEAR 1 FALL

ENC 1101
 Natural Science State Core
 Mathematics State Core
 General Education/Elective

TOTAL: 13

YEAR 1 SPRING

3	Humanities State Core	3
4	Social Science State Core	3
3	STA 2023	3
3	General Education/Elective	3
	General Education/Elective	3

TOTAL: 15

YEAR 2 FALL

Foreign Language (or test)
 General Education/Elective
 General Education/Elective
 General Education/Elective
 General Education/Elective

TOTAL: 16

YEAR 2 SPRING

4	Foreign Language (or test)	4
3	General Education/Elective	3
3	General Education/Elective	3
3	General Education/Elective	3
3	General Education/Elective	3

TOTAL: 16

Suggested electives would be any Criminology or Criminal Justice courses with a CCJ, CJC, CJE, or CJL prefix.

YEAR 3 FALL USE

CCJ 3024 Survey of the Criminal Justice System
 CCJ 3117 Theories of Criminal Behavior
 Major Upper Level Elective
 Major Upper Level Elective
 Upper Level Elective

TOTAL: 15

YEAR 3 SPRING USE

3	CCJ 3701 Research Methods in Criminal Justice	3
3	Major Upper Level Elective	3
3	Major Upper Level Elective	3
3	Upper Level Elective	3
3	General Elective	3

TOTAL: 15

YEAR 4 FALL USE

Major Upper Level Elective
 Major Upper Level Elective
 Major Upper Level Elective
 General Elective
 General Elective

TOTAL: 15

YEAR 4 SPRING USE

3	Major Upper Level Elective	3
3	CCJ 4934 Seminar in Criminology	3
3	General Elective	3
3	General Elective	3
3	General Elective	3

TOTAL: 15

The following is additional information for the Criminology major:

- The major requires a 2.0 or higher GPA.
- The major also has a “D” rule for major grade requirement.
- Students who receive a total of three (3) D and/or F grades in Criminology major coursework at USF will no longer be eligible to continue in the Criminology major. Grade forgiveness will not exclude a D or F grade from counting for this rule.
- Major Residency Requirement: A minimum of 30 credit hours of major course work must be taken in residence at the University of South Florida. Therefore, no more than 6 credit hours of transfer work (two courses) will be accepted to meet major requirements.
- Major Internship Opportunities: Students have the opportunity to earn up to 9 credits by doing an internship with a federal, state, or local criminal justice related agency. This affords students the opportunity to network and gain practical experience in conjunction with their degree.
- Major Research Opportunities: Center For Justice Research and Policy (CJRP); Cybercrime Interdisciplinary Behavioral Research Lab (C.I.B.R. Lab); USF Trafficking in Persons – Risk to Resilience Lab (TIP Lab); Crime Research Etiology and Treatment Evaluate (CREATE) Lab; Sarasota Cybersecurity.
- Foreign Language Requirement: Students need to show proficiency at the college level in a foreign language to graduate. This can be accomplished by taking two semesters of the same foreign language in college or by taking a test at HCC or USF if the student speaks a second language. Please consult an advisor to see which method will be best.

Students interested in the criminology major may email crimadvise@usf.edu

For general transfer advising inquiries please contact transfer-advising@usf.edu

